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**MEMORANDUM FOR:** Deputy for Field Activities, OSA

**SUBJECT:** Plastic Parachute Proposal

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1. The attached proposal is the result of an E & E Survival Board request to [ ] DDP to seek [ ] opinion on the possibility of designing a low visibility, high altitude personnel parachute. They are currently working on a plastic cargo chute for [ ]

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2. Such a chute would have profound effects upon the OSA survival program, as well as other Agency and DOD operations.

3. [ ] is familiar with [ ] and is available to discuss this proposal with OSA personnel.

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Chief, Intelligence Division  
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cc: [ ]

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